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1 -->Because nuclear waste is 100% lethal to all forms of life, no transport or storage of the previously generated waste should be done. Yucca Mountain is not geologically stable enough to protect life long enough for even half of the waste to decay. In addition, no signage warning of the danger there is possible because wildlife species cannot read. All generation of nuclear waste should be stopped immediately and the current facilities where the waste is stored should be maintained for storage. We should put the time, energy, and money into the research necessary to find ways to burn this "nuclear ash" rather than try to bury it in an area of the country with few voters.

We have a MORAL OBLIGATION to avoid loading this massive error on the generations that will follow us!

Sincerely,  
Karel Rogers